State of Arizona House of Representatives Forty-sixth Legislature First Regular Session 2003

CHAPTER 32

HOUSE BILL 2176

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTIONS 32-2194, 41-926 AND 41-927, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE ARIZONA PIONEERS' HOME.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Section 32-2194, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

32-2194. Exceptions

This chapter does not apply to any of the following:

- 1. Any religious corporation, church, religious society or denomination, a corporation sole administering temporalities of any church or religious society or denomination, or any cemetery organized, controlled and operated by any of them.
 - 2. A private or municipal cemetery.
- 3. Any fraternal burial park not exceeding ten acres in area, established before July 2, 1963, in which the sale of burial spaces is restricted exclusively to its members.
- 4. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE ARIZONA PIONEERS' HOME AND THE ARIZONA PIONEERS' HOME CEMETERY.
 - Sec. 2. Section 41-926, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 41-926. Arizona pioneers' home fund; collections; disbursements
- A. The Arizona pioneers' home fund is established consisting of monies, grants, gifts and contributions donated to the Arizona pioneers' home and lease proceeds deposited pursuant to section 41-927. The fund shall be divided into a special donations account and a lease CEMETERY proceeds account.
- B. The superintendent of the Arizona pioneers' home shall administer the fund. Monies in the fund CEMETERY PROCEEDS ACCOUNT are continuously appropriated. The monies in the Arizona pioneers' home fund are exempt from the provisions of section 35-190 relating to lapsing of appropriations.
- C. The superintendent or the superintendent's designee may receive donations from the public for the Arizona pioneers' home. The donations shall be deposited, pursuant to sections 35-146 and 35-147, in the special donations account and are subject to state auditing procedures. The donations shall be used in accordance with the requests of the donor for activities or purchases that benefit the residents or the home, or for staff education or recognition or any other such purpose approved by the superintendent. The donations will be disbursed by the superintendent only for these purposes or at the specific request of the donor.
- D. Monies in the lease CEMETERY proceeds account shall be used for the statutorily prescribed purposes of the Arizona pioneers' home and for the Arizona pioneers' home cemetery.
 - Sec. 3. Section 41-927, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 41-927. Arizona pioneers' home cemetery: management; exemption
- A. The superintendent of the home shall manage the state sovereign land described as follows:

Yavapai county parcel number 115-09-98A; section 29, township 14 north, range 2 west of the Gila and Salt River base and meridian, Yavapai county, Arizona.

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- B. The superintendent of the home:
- 1. Shall maintain the Arizona pioneers' home cemetery located on the land described in subsection A of this section.
- 2. May authorize burials in the Arizona pioneers' home cemetery located on the land described in subsection A of this section.
- 3. Shall not sell, exchange or barter the land described in subsection A of this section, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF INTERMENT RIGHTS. THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL DEPOSIT, PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 35-146 AND 35-147, THE PROCEEDS FROM ANY SALE OF INTERMENT RIGHTS IN THE CEMETERY PROCEEDS ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 41-926.
- 4. May lease portions of the land described in subsection A of this section. The superintendent shall deposit, pursuant to sections 35-146 and 35-147, the proceeds from any lease of this land in the lease CEMETERY proceeds account established by section 41-926.
- C. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE HOME AND THE CEMETERY ARE EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE 32, CHAPTER 20.

AMPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 7, 2003.

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